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CONGRESSIONAL HAPPENINGS IN WASHINGTON

By CLARENCE J. BROWN
Member of Congress,
Sixth Ohio District

The preparation program goes on apace. Last week the House passed two naval bills almost unanimously, only one vote being cast against each measure. The "navy" votes came from the American Labor party. Industrial and other leaders have been called into conference to furnish information and to give impetus to preparedness plans. The government navy yards are being placed on a three shift, forty-eight hour week.

The most important news from the Washington front, however, concerns the latest Administration plans for levying defense taxes. Originally the Administration was opposed to any new taxes at this time, but sensing the attitude of the people generally, and feeling that new burdens of taxation would be accepted with less complaint during the present European crisis than later on, the decision was reached a few days ago to keep Congress in session until new defense taxes are levied and the present national debt limitation is lifted. According to well advised sources, the Administration program will be as follows: First, lifting the debt limitation from forty-five billion to forty-eight billion dollars and the issuance of special national defense bonds for the three billion dollar increase in the national debt. Second, levying of new taxes to raise approximately seven hundred million dollars per year, presumably to be used toward paying off the newly issued bonds. Third, the formation of the National Defense Corporation, with a capital of two billion dollars and the power to issue corporation bonds for financing production of military and naval equipment, without having the capital or bonds of the Corporation considered as a part of the national debt, although guaranteed by the government.

It is rumored that the new tax program will provide for a flat 10% increase, or surtax, on all income taxes; an increase of 1 1/2 cents a gallon in the Federal gas tax; \$1.00 a barrel increase in the tax on heavy oil; a 10% increase in the tax on whiskey; and a 10% increase in the tax on tobacco. It is also rumored that the tax program may be materially altered before the work of the Ways and Means Committee, which began consideration of the new defense taxes late last week, is completed.

Without taking into consideration the heavy increases in appropriations for emergency defense purposes the regular governmental appropriations will soon carry the national debt beyond the present limitation of forty-five billion dollars, and probably beyond the suggested new limitation of forty-eight billion dollars. As the months pass there is a grave likelihood that further heavy expenditures will be found necessary if the defense program is to be carried forward as now planned, thus necessitating more and heavier Federal taxes than those now being considered by the Ways and Means Committee. It seems absolutely certain that the American people are in for more centralization of power in Washington, for greater control by government of the activities of the people, and for greater indebtedness and heavier tax burdens, than ever experienced by the American people in the past. All of this fits in with the declared objective of the New Dealers of nationalizing business, finance and industry, through the centralization of supreme power in the government itself.

While Congress is giving almost unanimous support to requests of the President for emergency defense funds with the exception of his "blank check" request, there has been considerable criticism here during the past week of the Executive Order of last Sunday evening. Many Congressional leaders have expressed the opinion that the President was not entirely frank or fair with the people when, in giving his report on the condition of the Army and Navy, he gave only the number of different defense weapons on hand and on order. It is the "on hand and on order" phase that is so misleading. As one legislator pointed out: "There is a great deal of difference between having a gun in your hand and the picture of a gun in a catalog when trouble comes." Mr. Roosevelt talked of the Army having nearly twelve hundred tanks "on hand and on order," but failed to tell the people frankly that the Army only has twenty-eight tanks altogether, and

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COURT NEWS

SEEKS JUDGMENT
Dr. D. L. Bernie, Dayton, Ohio, physician, seeks judgment against John Haines, Knollwood, for medical service during his recent illness, in the amount of \$280 with interest from January 1, 1940. Suit was brought in Common Pleas Court.

ALIMONY ASKED
Only one other case appears on the common pleas docket this week. Agnes Masie seeks alimony in a suit filed against Charles W. Masie.

DIVORCE DECREES
Four couples were granted divorces, three on charges of gross neglect. John Poe was given a decree from Grace Poe; Lawrence Weaver was granted a divorce from Mary Weaver; and custody of a minor child was given the defendant; Marion Shaw was divorced from Hazel Shaw; and Lillian Mitchell seeking a divorce from Clive Mitchell and custody of two minor children, was granted the decree on grounds of her husband's confinement in Ohio penitentiary.

GIVEN JUDGMENT
The Home Owner's Loan Corp. was granted a judgment for \$1,844.95 against Elmer E. Shaffer and others in common pleas court.

ESTATES APPRAISED
Estates appraised in probate court follow:
William E. Scarff, gross value, \$2,249.64; obligations, \$750; net value, \$1,499.64.
Richard McDowell, gross value, \$310; obligations, \$340; net value, nothing.

APPRAISAL ORDERED
An appraisal by the county auditor of the estate of Laura B. Hoff was ordered.

APPOINTMENT
Della Bingham was appointed administratrix of the estate of O. A. Bingham, late of Bowersville, under \$1,400 bond.

MARRIAGE LICENSES (Granted)
Earl Dinsell Linkhart, 2104 Bennett Ave., Norwood, inspector, and Louise Haworth, 44 Chestnut St. Rev. DeElls Neffin.
Vincent Eugene Chevalley, 226 Henry St., Dayton, toolmaker, and Ruth Ina Raines, 50 Grand Ave., Osborn.
Edgar Merle Hatfield, 121 E. Grand Ave., Springfield, bookkeeper, and Dorothy Jane Genger, Yellow Springs. Rev. W. Howard Lee.
Stanley Howard Chitty, 29 W. Market St., funeral director, and Mary Camille Reeder, 112 S. Galloway St.

WILL APPEAL CASE
Greene County commissioners have filed an appeal with the court of appeals, which will convene next fall, seeking to upset a decision favoring the plaintiff in a recent common pleas court non-resident jury trial in which the Union National Mill Co., Springfield, was awarded \$5,000 damages in its suit based on a bridge-truck accident last September 22.
The commissioners were charged with negligence in permitting a "weakened" bridge to remain unrepaired in the county highway system. A truck owned by the mill company plunged through a bridge in Ross Twp. and was destroyed by fire. The plaintiff was awarded \$5,000 by the jury last April 5.

Victor H. Ries On Home-Garden

"Beautify Your Home" will be the theme of County Garden and Landscape School at Xenia Central High School Auditorium, Friday, June 7, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.
Victor H. Ries, extension horticulturist of Ohio State University will conduct the school. In the forenoon he will give an illustrated lecture using colored slides. At the afternoon session various mimeographed sheets will be used to show how individual flower and landscape problems may be solved. The school is arranged jointly by the county extension service and the garden clubs of the county. Mrs. Carl Pickering of Jamestown will be chairman of the forenoon session and Mrs. Chas. Kipke of Xenia chairman of the afternoon program. The public is invited to the meeting.

4-H CLUB TO DETROIT

Approximately 25 club members of the Bellbrook 4-H club left early Wednesday morning by bus for Detroit where they will visit the plant of the Ford Motor company and Greenfield Village. They will return early Thursday morning. The club is under the leadership of James Miller and George Miller.

AN ODE TO THE DORCAS CLASS

Many, many years ago
A brand new church began to glow.
It was the U. P. Church of Cedarville—
In it, many people have worked with a will.

It's always been interested in Bible School—
Here, scores of people have learned God's rule.
In all the years, there's been good preachers
And there's seldom been a dearth of teachers.

As time went on there were many changes
In order to make room for all the strangers,
Who, in this church, have cast their lot
And also, brought in many a dot.

Then in the year, nineteen hundred and ten
Dr. Milligan decreed a change, and then,
The men and women were to be separated
And so the question was debated.

Just why this change, we know not the reason,
Except for this, it seemed the season.
Perhaps the women did all the talking,
And that was why the men, were balking.

Anyway, the change was made.
The women went out and the men stayed.
So this was the way the class was started.
Yet the men and women in good will parted.

The first thing in order was a name.
And the Dorcas class it then became.
Then for a teacher, and on Mrs. Lucy Barber the die was cast.
She knew her Bible and was true to her task.

For twenty years she did her work,
We're sure no one can call her a shirk.
Now of the charter members of this class
We'll give a verse before we pass.

The first we will name is Mrs. Dobbins.
She is as happy and gay as the robins.
Then she is good and kind to all around.
And all her answers are sure to be sound.

The next we will mention is Mrs. J. E. Kyle—
She's been in this class all the while.
She is ever ready to talk on the lesson,
And tries to be at each Bible School session.

A faithful member is Mrs. Auld—
For all her good works, we give her applause.
She is ready to render any service
Yet she's so quiet, she makes one nervous.

Mrs. Spencer's been faithful, but now she is ill—
But her love and interest are with the class still.
We pray she may soon be relieved from pain,
And then we are sure she will be with us again.

Also, Mrs. Adda Mitchell was a charter member,
In her early life she was a Covenanter.
But now she's a very good U. P.
And that's what all of this class should be.

A charter member was Mrs. Oglesbee, too,
She's a hospitable soul, and ready to do
Any work that comes her way
And 'twill be well done we can truly say.

Then there is Mrs. Gillaugh and Mrs. Turnbull too.
They have long been members good and true.
Just now, neither is very strong,
But we know quite well they'll do no wrong.

Mrs. Anna Hastings and Mrs. Dean we still keep in mind,
One is sorely afflicted and the other is blind.
Both of these were charter members too,
And both good workers when able to do.

Some charter members have strayed away,
And in other states have gone to stay.
Mrs. Dixon and Mrs. Hanna, are two,
Who have gone to other states, their work to do.

A good member, too, was Mrs. Effie Truette,
Who'd like to be with us, we have no doubt.
But now she resides in another city,
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DR. HENDERSON MODERATOR OF U. P. ASSEMBLY

The United Presbyterian General Assembly which closed its eighty-second session some days ago where it met in Buffalo, N. Y., chose for its moderator an alumnus of Cedarville College, Dr. Homer B. Henderson, '02, pastor of the Grace City, Pa., United Presbyterian Church. Dr. Henderson is one of the leading ministers in his denomination and his election as moderator was pleasing to his friends here and his former associates in Cedarville College.

In reviewing the work of the General Assembly Cedarville and Cedarville College were mentioned.



DR. HOMER B. HENDERSON

College has a number of prominent ministers that took part in the different sessions. The Stated Clerk of the Assembly is Dr. O. H. Milligan, former pastor of the local congregation. Another name prominent in the deliberations was that of Dr. E. C. McCown, a student of Cedarville College in the early nineties. Dr. Walter M. Hopping, pastor emeritus of the Second United Presbyterian Church, Buffalo, is a native of this place. In the same presbytery is Dr. Earnest B. McClellan, pastor of the First Church, Rochester, N. Y., a graduate of Cedarville College in the class of 1909. Another name is that of Rev. Fred S. Bull, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bull of this place who has been pastor of the Franklinville, N. Y. church since 1929.

Dr. Hopping presented the new moderator, Dr. Henderson, with a new flag of international character. The head was made of wood taken from the organ of the old Milton church in Ontario, Canada; and the handle is of wood from a stairway in the old Beulah church in the state of New York.

George Siegler Died Friday, Aged 85

George Siegler, 85, died Friday at his home in Ridgeville, Ind., following an illness of several months. He was born in Wertunberg, Germany, and with three brothers arrived here at various times before they were eighteen years of age, escaping compulsory military service in his native country. Three brothers in the family were bakers and one a butcher by trade.

The deceased was a baker in Ridgeville for 45 years and is survived by one daughter, Dollie and a son, Charles. He was a brother of the late Jacob Siegler of this place. The funeral was held Monday with burial in Ridgeville.

MISS JACOBS ENTERTAINS BRIDE-ELECT AT SHOWER

Miss Clella Jacobs entertained a number of friends last Saturday honoring Miss Christina Jones, bride-elect of Mr. John Richards with a "miscellaneous shower".
Miss Jones was presented an array of gifts after which a salad course was served.
Those present were Mrs. Ada Jones, Mrs. Charles Crouse, Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mrs. Paul Edwards, Mrs. Paul Orr, Mrs. Gene Bone, Misses Ora Hanan, Carrie Rife, Frances Kimble, Hazel Nelson, Rebecca Galloway, Gretchen Tindall, Eleanor Cooley, Ruth Kimble and Christina Jones, of Cedarville; Miss Doris Watkins, Mrs. Paul Reed, Mrs. Howard Devoe and Mrs. David Harner, of Xenia; Mrs. John Tobias, Bernice, O.; Mrs. Merle Eidenmiller, of Zimmermann; Miss Jane Koons and Miss Mary Kathryn Propagoo, of Troy; Miss Mary Lou Studebaker, Tipp City, O.; Mrs. Leroy Jacobs, Mrs. Cornelius Grinnell and Miss Louise Jacobs, of Yellow Springs.

W. C. HUFF GETS CONTRACT

W. C. Huff has been given the contract for grading the grounds around the Xenia Physical Education building for landscaping at his bid of \$1,290.

James J. Curlett Is G. O. P. Chairman

County Auditor James J. Curlett was elected chairman of the Greene County Republican Executive Committee at a meeting in the Court House, Tuesday evening. Mr. Curlett succeeds Attorney Harry J. Smith, who has served in that capacity for six years and declined reelection.

John Titlow, Osborn, and Mrs. Edna Woodson, Wilberforce, were elected co-vice presidents and Henry Barnett, Beaver Creek Twp., secretary to succeed J. Carl Marshall, who was not a candidate. Robert W. MacGregor of this place was chosen treasurer.

Former Track Star In A. A. U. Meet

XENIA, OHIO, JUNE 4.—Local followers of Wilberforce's sport program are resting easier today since the announcement by Dr. D. Ormonde Walker, President of Wilberforce University, that Jean Betty Lane former Cedarville track star would represent Wilberforce University at the National A. A. U. Women's Track Meet, Ocean City, N. J., July 6.
Miss Lane, who was Cedarville's main stay in track for three years established records in the 50 yds. (5.8 secs.) and the 100 yds. (11.6 in) in the County High School meets in 1937-38. These records still stand.
Out of competition during her sophomore year at Wilberforce she became a national sports figure in one day by winning the 50 meters time 6.5, the 100 meters time 12.1 and the 200 meters, time 26.0, at the 12th annual Track and Field meet, Tuskegee, Alabama, May 10. Lulu Hynes national A. A. U. sprint champion trailed the Greene County girl in the 100 meters race.
The young track star was awarded the Chenoute Trophy at Tuskegee for the most outstanding woman athlete at the meet.
Recently at the Central States Track and Field Carnival at Cincinnati, she established a new record of 10.9 in the 100 yd. dash. This was one tenth of a second faster than the record set for the same distance in 1937 by Stella Walsh.

Greene O. S. U. Students Home For Vacation

Members of Ohio State University's record-breaking student body will be arriving home this week-end for the vacation period. Among those who have been enrolled at Ohio State this year are the following Greene County students:
Bowersville—Richard Franklin.
Cedarville—James Anderson, James Finney, Rachel Harriman, James Dorman, Monroe Pyles, Noah Sharpe, John Williamson.
Fairfield—Glen Johnson.
Jamestown—Forrest Hurley, Carr Lewis, Frederick Nelson, Richard Smith.
Osborn—Eleanor Hagley, Dale Baughman, Clifford Fulton, Lawrence Hower, Robert Hower, Ted Titlow.
Spring Valley—James Kable.
Waynesville—Cecil Palmer.
Wilberforce—George David, Althea Heard, Marion Heard, Ennis Warwick, Grace Woodson.
Yellow Springs—Lynn Curry, Edwin Foss, Harry Foreman, Robert Funderburg, Kenneth Greenless, Elizabeth Hague, Harold James, Amel Menotti, Helen Newbery, Eleanor Osborn.

BLUE RIBBON 4-H CLUB

The Blue Ribbon 4-H Club held their second meeting on Friday, May 31, at the home of the leader, Mrs. Collins Williamson.
A business meeting was conducted by the president.
After the business meeting the members worked on their various 4-H projects.
Refreshments were served by Mary McCampbell and Helen Ferguson, after which the recreation leader conducted games.

Fire Crackers Sold Only On Fourth

Village council left it with Mayor Evans and Marshal McLean to regulate the sale and use of fire works on the Fourth under a village ordinance. Marshal McLean states that dealers in fireworks are to be confined to the sale on Thursday, July 4th. Violators of the use of fire works other than on the Fourth will be prosecuted the officer states.

College Safe Is Minus \$82 Now

The safe in the office of the Cedarville College was opened by one evidently familiar with the surroundings, sometime Wednesday night, or early Thursday.
Entrance was gained by forcing a rear door into the basement and then forcing the door into the office. The key to the safe was taken from a hiding place and the safe entered without any trouble. About \$82 in money, postage stamps amounting to about \$9 were also taken. There were other valuables available but not disturbed. Deputy Sheriff Cecil Strobridge investigated but no clue was found.

Wheat Allotment For 1941 Announced

A Greene County wheat allotment for 1941 of 32933.0 acres was announced this week by Joseph B. Mason, Chairman of the Greene County AAA Committee.
This allotment will be apportioned among the wheat growers on the basis of tillable acres, crop rotation practices, type of soil, topography, and the acreage of wheat grown in the last three years. Farmers will be given credit for wheat acreage diverted under previous AAA programs, Mr. Mason explained.
This acreage allotment is Greene County's proportional share of the 62 million acre national wheat allotment which will produce enough wheat for a year's domestic consumption and exports plus a reasonable carry-over.
Farmers who keep within allotments in 1941 will be eligible for a wheat conservation payment parity payment, if such payment is offered in 1941, wheat loans, if available, and crop insurance. Individual allotments will reach farmers within the next two weeks, the county chairman reported.

GIRL SCOUTS GAVE PROGRAM IN XENIA TUESDAY NOON

The Cedarville Girl Scouts gave a program before the Xenia Rotary Club Tuesday noon at Xenia.
They gave an original skit especially written for the Rotary Club by Mrs. Ann Collins Smith, in which the three Patrol Leaders of the Troop were in a perplexing situation planning an interesting program for a group of strange men.
Jean Bradfute planned a Bib Puppet show by the "White Violet Patrol" who gave "He never would tell," and "Playmates" an original playlet written by the girls.
Doris Townsley had the Dogwood Patrol give a series of Marionette skits, "Spring has come", a hair-raising, scary, skit, and a "Little Dutch Song and Dance number".
While Barbara Smith had the "Pine Cone Patrol" give an old fashioned side show, consisting of fat lady, snake charmer, pink elephant, etc.
In spite of the handicap of having their equipment drenched by rain on the way to Xenia, they proved that Girl Scouts "Are Prepared" for any situation.

SPRINGFIELD BOY DROWNS IN LITTLE MIAMI, THURSDAY

Thomas Harold Garrety, 19, Springfield, was drowned in the Little Miami River near Clifton Thursday, when he slipped from the bank and fell into the water about 11 o'clock. He fell twenty feet into seven feet of water. The body was recovered about an hour later by Carl Bittner and Marvin Bittner, brothers who live in Clifton. It is thought he struck a rock which stunned him in the fall. Coroner H. C. Schick rendered a verdict of accidental death by drowning.

W. L. WILSON PATIENT IN DAYTON HOSPITAL

W. L. Wilson entered Miami Valley Hospital last Thursday for a major operation. Reports this week indicate he is improving satisfactorily.

CABLE BEING UNLOADED

The cable for the new automatic telephone service, dial system, is being unloaded along the Federal pike and Wilmington road between Xenia and Cedarville. It is planned to have the system in use this summer.

FARM REPORTERS BEGIN CHECK OF FARM CROPS

Checking of performance on farms of more than 1600 Greene County farmers who are participating in the 1940 AAA Farm Program began Wednesday, June 5, reports Joseph B. Mason, Chairman of the Greene County AAA Committee.

The work will be done by farm reporters, all of whom are farmers, who will inspect farms in their own communities. Mr. Roy Stoneburner of Spring Valley Township and Mr. David C. Bradfute of Cedarville Township have been designated as county performance supervisors to supervise field work.

Men who will work as farm reporters in the county are:
Earl D. Flatter, R. 1, Osborn, Ohio; Ralph Kyle, R. 1, Osborn, Ohio; George A. Feintine, R. 2, Xenia, Ohio; J. Frank Shawhan, R. 2, Xenia, Ohio; Robert L. Thomas, R. 2, Dayton, Ohio; Russell T. Schultz, R. 2, Dayton, Ohio; G. Wilbur Koogler, R. 4, Xenia, Ohio; Wm. C. Miller, R. 1, Xenia, Ohio; Emory W. Oglesbee, R. 1, Xenia, Ohio; Edgar H. Little, R. 1, Cedarville, Ohio; J. Rankin McMillan, R. 1, Cedarville, Ohio; A. Roger Collins, R. 5, Xenia, Ohio; Howard M. Smith, R. 3, Sabina, Ohio; A. Ben Beard, Bowersville, Ohio; Wilton E. Middleton, R. 2, Jamestown, Ohio; Alfred D. Huttler, R. 1, Yellow Springs, Ohio; Clark R. Mercedil, R. 1, Yellow Springs, Ohio; Cornelius Grinnell, R. 1, Yellow Springs, Ohio.

Roscoe E. Turner, R. 2, Xenia, Ohio; Arthur C. Bahns, R. 2, Xenia, Ohio; Francis R. Jones, R. 2, Xenia, Ohio; L. Hersel Long, R. 2, Cedarville, Ohio; C. Ray Fields, R. 2, S. Charleston, O.; Lester McDorman, R. 2, Cedarville, O.; Carroll W. Clemmer, R. 2, Jamestown, Ohio; Grover C. Tobin, R. 1, Jamestown, Ohio; John O'Brian, R. 2, Jamestown, Ohio; Everett E. Gregg, R. 1, Spring Valley, Ohio; J. Ralph Watkins, R. 3, Xenia, Ohio.
Thomas W. Morgan, R. 3, Xenia, O.; Walter K. Haines, R. 1, Spring Valley; Harry H. Stephens, R. 1, Spring Valley; James E. Miller, R. 1, Spring Valley, Ohio; Herman W. Eave Xenia, Ohio; Albert J. Earley, R. 5, Xenia, Ohio; Lewis E. Frye, R. 5, Xenia, Ohio.

Farm reporters will determine crops planted on the farm of each farmer who this spring signed a farm plan, indicating his intention of participating in the 1940 AAA program. Fields in which various crops are planted will be measured on aerial photographs in the county office to determine conservation and parity payments earned by each participating farmer.
The actual work of checking field acreages is done only when the farmer or his authorized representative is present. Usually the farmer assists the farm reporter with the work.

Worms Damage Fruit-Shade Trees

Cankervorms have again made their annual appearance and are feasting on the foliage of elm, apple and other trees and shrubs of Greene County. These insects are also known as measuring worms, or Cutworms and travel by a looping movement of the body and when disturbed, let themselves down by a silken thread which they spin. They make lacework of the leaves and often completely destroy all foliage. While a new crop of leaves is put forth to replace the ones destroyed, it causes a heavy drain upon the vitality of the tree and repeated defoliation may lead to its death. A spray of lead arsenate at the rate of 2 to 4 pounds in 50 gallons of water will control them. If the application is delayed until the insects are nearly grown, the heavier amount of lead arsenate is required. An extension bulletin "Insects on Elm" giving a detailed account of this and other insects affecting shade trees may be secured at the county agent's office.

State School Funds Are Distributed

Receipt of funds for distribution to eleven school districts in the county was announced Saturday by County School Superintendent H. C. Aultman for the last quarter of the school year.
Five of the districts were given deductions under a state legislative action bill. Cedarville was given the largest net sum amounting to \$5,000.41.

The list of townships, net amounts and deductions, if any, follows: Beaver Creek, \$5,416.19; Osborn, \$5,000.41; \$483.55 deducted; Cedarville, \$5,000.41; \$1,000.00 deducted; Clifton, \$1,014.23; \$30.76 deducted; Jefferson, \$5,000.00; \$500.00 deducted; Xenia, \$5,000.00; \$500.00 deducted; Springfield, \$5,000.00; \$500.00 deducted; Spring Valley, \$5,000.00; \$500.00 deducted; Xenia Twp., \$5,000.00; \$500.00 deducted.

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JUST A MERE BILLION A YEAR NEW TAX

Indications are that the New Deal has given orders to all Democratic congressmen to fall in line and provide for at least a billion dollars more a year in new taxes to pay for Roosevelt's peace plan. It is proposed to force all persons earning \$800 a year, if single, and \$1,800 a year if married, to pay income taxes. New taxes will be put on gasoline, tires, automobiles, oils, as well as taxes on the common necessities of every home.

Senator Clark, Dem., Mo., has asked Roosevelt to account for the seven billion the congress has given him the past seven years for the war and navy departments. It now develops that we have only 58 fighting planes of any value and less than a hundred fighting tanks and these of the light variety, not fit for such a war as is going on in Europe. It is said it will take six to nine months to make the shoes for men in the army. New guns have been ordered much different from what the militia and regular army has used for years. Even the officers would be required to take training for six months in the use of the new guns.

Not one Democratic leader has given a hint that the request of Sen. Clark will be answered. Congress in the past has been writing blank checks to Roosevelt rather than specify what the money was to be used for and how it was to be spent. One officer says Roosevelt used \$100,000 of the army defense appropriation to erect a Sunday school auditorium at a CCC camp. A laudable purpose but not confined to the law. Millions of army and navy funds, the latter getting more than the former, have been spent for equipment of little or no value, if the testimony before the congressional committee is correct. Sen. Clark charges the major part of the seven billion has been poured down a "rat hole" with politicians as the rats at the other end and for that reason the nation is unprepared for a war with any country.

It is well that congress begins to levy such taxes as will be necessary to finance the "Peace and War" program which is being staged for political purposes. The heavier the tax on all that is consumed the sooner the taxpayer will become conscious that he is the victim along with the consumer who "always pays the freight."

The war scare on this side may be staged a bit early as a result of the poor showing England and France have been making against Germany. It is not expected that Hitler will fly across the ocean soon and leave England to carry on. So far Hitler has not set a foot on England, in fact he is just now staging his drive on Paris.

Our enemy at this time is not across the sea but within our gates. Our South American neighbors have far more Communist followers than can be found here. Even in Mexico and Cuba the Communists have about taken control of these countries. We have them in Washington in government departments at the grace of the New Deal. They are scattered all over this country. Our first task is to clean out the foreign element in the New Deal, then the labor unions, as well as other organizations that recognize the Russian idea of government.

Sen. Clark should urge more taxes on everyone as a step in bringing the issue closer to the people.

Silence may be golden, but sometimes a brass band helps.

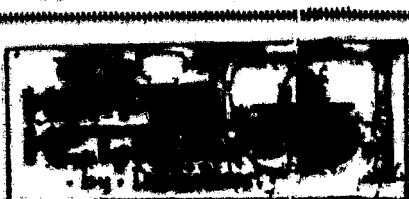
The political fireworks show—now getting ready for the "big blow-off"

Many a man sticks his head out and gets it in the neck.

THINK!

Your Natural Gas and Electric bill each month represents the smallest part of all your household expenses. Make this bill—divide your monthly bill by 30 days; then divide each day's bill by the number of members of your family. That gives you the cost per person per day for Natural Gas and Electricity. Try it!

THE DAYTON POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY



The harvest is nearing on New Deal spending if we read the complicated situations correctly that are coming to the surface each week in many municipalities, large and small. Cleveland has gone broke on New Deal financing and we read that the board of education is now forced to close seven schools in that city beside eliminating many activities under the direction of the board. The reason is no finances to carry on longer.

Columbus elected a mayor last fall named Green and the campaign slogan was "Take Columbus out of the red with Green. Now Mayor Green is in deeper than ever so far as debt is concerned and no effort being made to reduce to live within the city income. Mayor Green is asking for a change in the city charter by special election for authority to levy higher taxes. This week more than 800 city employees had to go without their salaries and another group that is paid at another time will meet the same fate in two weeks. Columbus over-spent to get New Deal free money and now cannot meet its bills monthly.

Springfield and Dayton face similar situations as to municipal finance and the authorities are sweating blood to find funds to keep things going. Trying to keep up with federal spending along with high relief costs is the load that is weakening municipalities and in time will be felt in counties and each state. Then Uncle Sam will take stock and we will no doubt be forced to issue a new kind of money just as was done in Germany and new bonds in France following the World War, the old being worthless.

We read with interest the Roosevelt proposal asking for presidential authority to call out the militia in each state as he (Roosevelt) sees fit. We are interested in such statements coming from the White House where we also hear much about remaining at peace regardless of what is going on "over there". Asking for a few billion more dollars here and there for the cause of "peace" and then authority to call out the militia, although the constitution only grants authority for war to congress, hardly makes good sense. One thing is sure, parents with boys of draft age are flooding congress with letters opposing such a grant to any president. When Roosevelt went that far in his behind the curtain movement to join England he touched a bomb in American homes that has reached Washington. It is getting hard to find a citizen that still has 100 per cent belief in the Roosevelt policy that we are only preparing for peace and not war.

State Auditor Ferguson, who holds that office by the grace of success four years ago as a candidate on the Democratic ticket, should take out a hunting license. Some days ago Ferguson gave out a press release that the state was broke under Gov. Bricker and there was not enough school funds to meet the payments to the various counties. The Governor investigated and pronounced the Ferguson statement a myth and ordered immediate payment or he would start suit in Supreme Court for mandamus payment. The next day Ferguson "found" sufficient funds to pay Ohio schools what was due.

For the first time since 1908, Ohio is likely to have an Independent candidate for Governor at the general election on November 5. Rev. Herbert S. Bigelow, of Cincinnati, has notified Secretary of State George Nefner of his intention to qualify as an Independent candidate for Governor and his petitions will soon be in circulation, 25,000 signatures being the legal requirement to get his name on the official ballot. It is not known, at this time, whether or not a full Independent ticket, containing candidates for all state offices, will be presented. Andrew F. Otto, Independent candidate for Governor in 1908, polled but 397 votes while Judson Harmon, Democrat, received 552,569, Andrew Harris, Republican, 633,197 and Bandlow, Socialist, 28,573. The state ballot contained six gubernatorial candidates and the election result was Cooper, Rep., 1,355,577; Davey, Dem., 1,109,739; Sharps, Socialist, 7,140; Goerke, Socialist Labor, 1,272; Stanton, Prohibition, 1,055; Patterson Worker's Communist, 2,181. In 1934, Ford, Communist, received 15,854 votes.

Northwestern Ohio sugar beet farmers are profiting by the State Welfare Department's policy of buying Ohio products for the 23 state institutions with a population of 37,877. Since January 1, the state has purchased 620,000 lbs. of Ohio beet sugar and expects to use approximately 1,500,000 lbs. during the year. The purchases of Ohio sugar in 1938 was but 50,000 lbs. The Ohio beet sugar is being bought at from 20 to 30 cents per 100 lbs. less than the cost of cane sugar.

Ohio also supports the hog market by purchasing land for Ohio state institutions instead of land substitutes. The federal government some days ago gave orders for two million pounds of land substitute for the army and navy irrespective of the low price

of land given substitute. Cong. Clarence J. Brown has pointed out several times to congress the policy of the administration was detrimental to farmers and hog feeders. Good hogs today are around the \$5 a hundred price.

A project that is of great interest to the legal profession, as well as historians is being prosecuted under the direction of Secretary of State George Nefner. It is the preparation of an historical index to all the statute laws of Ohio from the northwest territory down to date, arranged alphabetically as to subject matter and showing the year, volume, page and sections where the enactments can be found. Through the use of this index, a vast amount of early legal and historical matter covering the growth and development of the State of Ohio will be uncovered and made available for public use. A complete outline of the statutory history of churches, roads, banks, cities, departments and institutions will be compiled. This index will be the key for opening the door of knowledge into all the legal and historical material of Ohio, early and late, and be a valuable addition to law, legislative and historical libraries. Ohio is the first state to assemble this information in book form and it is expected to be completed some time next year.

The expanded pilot training program, announced by President Roosevelt, will mean an increase in the number of Ohio students taking the Civil Aeronautics Authority courses to about 2,500 it has been estimated. At present, 470 Ohioans are taking the three months' training courses at 20 colleges and universities. These classes will graduate this June, at the end of the school year. Nationally, the program will train 50,000 pilots a year, five times the present quota, the President stated. The new program will wheel into action by July 1 and will continue on a 12 months basis without regard for summer vacations. Three classes of students will be eligible for the training: college and university students, persons in civilian life who have had some flying experience and young men having mechanical experience but who do not have college training. The age bracket will be from 18 to 25. Cost to the government in turning out a CAA graduate is about \$290. Among Ohio schools offering the courses and the students each is now training are: Ohio State University, 50; Capital University, 10; Bowling Green, 30; Ohio University, 30; Ohio Northern, Ada, 20; Marietta, 10; Kent State University, 40; Kenyon, 10 and Wittenberg, 10.

Miss Jane Creswell of Tacoma, daughter of the late Dr. Morton S. Creswell and Mrs. Creswell, is here on an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Creswell and other relatives.

An Ode To The Dorcas Class

(Continued from first page)
 And that keeps her away, isn't it a pity?

Mrs. Nellie Winter has changed her name, She's Mrs. Charles Johnson, but she's just the same. She went with her husband to the church across the way, But we're glad to have her with us today.

Three charter members have passed away To their home in Heaven, with the angels to stay. Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Archer, and Mrs. Black, They are missed, but we wouldn't call them back.

We hope all the charter members have been noted, If not, forgive us, for we've no motive. To leave any of the dear sisters out. And we'd be quite sorry without a doubt.

There have been many others who have joined the rank, But a verse for all would break the bank.

Now, Mrs. Barber kept this wonderful class For twenty years and then, alas; She resigned for some good cause, Perhaps she needed rest and wished a pause. If 'twas because of her age she surely was wrong, For at eighty-six she is still going strong.

With regret her resignation was accepted, And now a successor must be selected. She has stayed in the class all these years. If none, the questions can answer we have no fears.

For she is ever ready to explain, And makes things clear and very plain. But now as a teacher must be selected, All wondered just who would be elected.

This time the lot fell on dear Mrs. Marsh. She's sweet and kind and never harsh. She searches the Scriptures daily, For thoughts to imbue, Our hearts and minds, with things good and true.

Ten years now, she has taught the class. We hope she'll stay until ten more pass. Today we are celebrating our thirtieth year, On looking back, may there be no tear.

The good the class has done can never be told,

Till the great Book in Heaven, is unrolled. Many members have come and some have gone. Yet the years have passed away like a song.

Of teachers, there have been, but two. They have both been faithful, loyal and true. They've always stood for things that are good. And fed us on sound nourishing, spiritual food.

The class has tried to live up to its name. As did Dorcas of old, in Bible fame. May our fingers keep busy, and never grow weary. In helping the needy and cheering the dreary.

May we ease the sick, comfort those in sorrow. Knowing it may be our turn, tomorrow. Then may we be thankful for the years that have gone, And may the good Dorcas class still carry on.

DR. McCHESNEY GETS DEGREE
 One of the surprises of College Commencement last Friday was the conferring of the degree of Doctor of Laws upon Dr. W. R. McChesney, the retiring president, in recognition of his service to the college for forty-six years, twenty-five as president. The board authorized the degree as a surprise and it was conferred by Rev. Walter S. Kilpatrick, president-elect.

Mr. Robert Conley, wife and daughter, Crystal City, Mo., visited with his father, Mr. Wm. Conley from Thursday to Sunday.

Dr. Henry Foster of Ashville, N. C., preached Sunday for his former congregation at the Presbyterian Church in Clifton. Since the death of his wife he has resided in the south with his son, Mr. Norman Foster. Dr. Foster was the guest of Dr. C. M. Ritchie last Friday and attended commencement of Cedarville College.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Swaby and Miss Oline Coe, Clifton pike, spent several days in Covington, Va., with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spencer.

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Miss Rachel Crewell spent the week end at Camp Knoll, near Yellow Springs. The camp was sponsored by the Outing Club of Springfield.

Miss Rachel Crewell spent Memorial Day and the week-end with Miss Irene Bandy of Urbana. Miss Bandy and Miss Crewell are teachers in the Laurensville school. Miss Crewell entertained friends in honor of Miss Bandy, who celebrated her birthday on Friday.

Mr. George Watson, Cleveland, formerly of this place, stopped here last Friday for a short visit with friends. Mr. Watson will retire in October after forty years service with the American Express Company. He has held several important posts with the company all by way of advancement in recognition of faithful service.

A family reunion was enjoyed Memorial Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hill. Those from out of town were: Rev. W. W. Hill, D. D., and wife of Chicago; Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., and wife of Lafayette, Ind.; and Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Hill and wife, of London, O.

Keith Dett, local boy in Company 585 CCC, Leeds, Utah, has given his company ball team a record for victories that brought praise from the lieutenant of the company. The last game Keith pitched was a 6 to 0 score against the Zion National Park team. Keith held the opponents down to a "no hit and no run" record and was given the ball by the company lieutenant.

Mrs. Jennie Shrodes and son Roy, entertained in honor of the former's birthday on Sunday, May 26th, the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gray and daughter, Betty; and Messrs. Donald Mackley and Morris Kendall. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shrodes and daughter, Ruth and sons, Franklin and John; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young and daughters, Ruth and Virginia, of Springfield; Mr. and Mrs. Alva Link and sons, Junior and Donald of Xenia; and Mrs. Lester Hickman and Miss Jean Parks, of New Castle, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Speer, of Denison, O., and two children, Anne and Mac, were week-end guests of their cousins, the Misses McNeill. They also attended Cedarville College Commencement last Friday. Mrs. Speer is a full cousin of Rev. R. M. Davis, who delivered the class address.

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MISS CHRISTINA JONES GIVES SHOWER FOR MISS JACOBS

Miss Cletis Jacobs, of Yellow Springs, bride-elect of Mr. Joseph Waddle, Cedarville, was complimented at a lovely party and miscellaneous "shower" at which Miss Christina Jones was hostess at her home in Cedarville Tuesday afternoon.

A program of games was arranged and Miss Jacobs was presented an array of gifts. An ice course was served by the hostess. Those present were Misses Cletis and Louise Jacobs and Mrs. Leroy Jacobs, Yellow Springs; Mrs. Paul Orr, Mrs. John Mills, Mrs. Anna Wilson, Mrs. Roy Waddle, Misses Ruth and Francis Kimble, Eleanor Cooley, Ora Hanna, Carrie Rife, Martha Waddle, Dorothy and Betty Nelson, of Cedarville; Miss Doris Watkins and Mrs. Paul Reed, Xenia; Mrs. Merlin Eldemiller, Immertan; Miss Emily Mitchell, Leesburg; Miss Margaret Nelson, Jamestown; Miss Lois Waddle, Springfield; Mrs. Dan Eldemiller, Dayton; Miss Mary Lou Studebaker, Tipp City; Mrs. Ada Jones and Miss Christina Jones.

CURTIS HUGHES AND MISS CHARLOTTE BOOTS MARRIED

Mr. Curtis Hughes and Miss Charlotte Boots were quietly married Tuesday afternoon at 2 P. M. at the Presbyterian Parsonage in Fletcher, O., by Rev. Robert Harriman, formerly of this place. The couple was unattended.

Mr. Hughes is the son of Mr. Marion Hughes of this place and is associated with his father in the well drilling business. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Boots, R. F. D. 2, Xenia. Mr. Hughes is a graduate of Cedarville High School.

The couple have gone to housekeeping in the Murdock apartments, W. Xenia Ave.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE

Miss Gretchen Tindall honored Mrs. Gene Boze, (Elsie Post), last Friday evening with a shower at her home on North st.

Games of bridge, rook and Chinese checkers, were enjoyed after which Mrs. Boze was presented an array of gifts. Those present were Mrs. Stanley Boze, Mrs. John Mills, Mrs. Amos Frame, Mrs. Edward Payne, Mrs. Homer Reiter, Mrs. Harry Wright, Misses Pauline, Dorothy and Hazel Nelson, of Cedarville; Mrs. Dallas Marshall, Misses Virginia Townsend, Adrienne Dugas and Doris Watkins, of Xenia; Mrs. Merlin Eldemiller, of Zimmerman, and the hostess.

Church Notes

METHODIST

David H. Markle, Minister

Sunday, June 9, 1940

The Children's Day Program will be held at the Sunday School and Church. The program will begin at 10 o'clock and continue into the church hour. The program is a Children's Nature Program.

8:30 Epworth League.

8:00 Union Service in United Presbyterian Church.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Benjamin N. Adams, Minister

9:45 A. M. Sabbath School Orchestra

10:00 A. M. Sabbath School, Mr. H. K. Stormont, Supt.

11:00 A. M. Children's Day Exercises.

7:00 P. M. Christian Endeavor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Raymond Strickland, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 A. M.

Services Preaching, 10:30 A. M.

Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

Mid-week Meeting, each Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN

Ralph A. Jamieson, Minister

Sabbath School 10:00 A. M. Supt. Emile Finney.

Preaching 11 A. M. Communion service.

Y. P. C. U. 7 P. M. Subject, "Youth in the World-Wide Fellowship".

Leader, Miss Joyce Clemans.

Union Service 8 P. M. in our church.

This may be the last evening service for the summer, and you are invited to share with us this service. Theme, "Christians as Conservatives". Special Music.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday 8 P. M. Chapter 38.

Preparatory Services Friday at 8 P. M. and Saturday at 2 P. M. Guest speaker for these services, Rev. Frank E. Wiley, pastor of the U. P. Church of Nashville, Indiana. All are cordially invited to these services. The session will meet after the Saturday service. We will be glad to welcome any who may wish to unite with the church at this time.

D. A. R. FLAG DAY LUNCHEON

The ladies of the Cedar Cliff Chapter D. A. R. will hold their Flag Day Luncheon at the Shawnee Hotel in Springfield, Tuesday, June 11, at one o'clock. The program for the afternoon is in charge of Mrs. Anna Wilson, Miss Wilma Spencer and Miss Eleanor Kyle. The speaker is Mrs. Vernon Fairley of Hillsboro, O., who will speak on "Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Clubs".

A double wedding will be solemnized Monday morning in the Methodist Church, Yellow Springs, when Miss Cletis Jacobs becomes the bride of Mr. Joseph Waddle of this place and Miss Christina Jones becomes the bride of Mr. John Richards of this place. Rev. W. Howard Lee will officiate for the first couple and Rev. David H. Markle, D. D., of Cedarville will officiate for the latter couple. Immediate families and a few friends will witness the ceremonies at ten o'clock. Both couples are graduates of Cedarville High and Cedarville College.

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COLLEGE ALUMNI BANQUET

HELD THURSDAY EVENING

A special program arranged as a tribute to Dr. W. R. McChesney, retiring president of Cedarville College, was presented at the annual banquet and dance of the college alumni association, attended by 100 persons, at Alford Memorial Gymnasium, Cedarville, Thursday evening.

For the banquet, served by the women's advisory board of the college, guests were seated at tables decorated with spring flowers and nut cups in orange and blue, the college colors.

Mr. James McMillan, Osborn, alumni president for 1940, presided and Rev. Robert Harriman, Fletcher, O., a member of the class of 1935, offered the invocation. Mr. Harry Pickering, superintendent-elect of the Greene County Schools, welcomed the class of 1940 and Mr. Russell Roberts, class president, responded.

Rev. Herbert Main, Loveland, O., offered a tribute to Dr. McChesney, who responded. Rev. Walter Kilpatrick, president-elect, also spoke.

Special musical numbers included a vocal solo by Mrs. Dorothy Jackson, of Dayton and a vocal duet by Misses Beatrice and Hazel McGlellan, Xenia.

Officers elected for 1941 were Mr. Marion Rife, Washington, C. H., president; Mr. Robert Richards, Columbus, vice president; Miss Mae McKay, New Burlington, recording secretary; Miss Glenna Basore, of the college staff, corresponding secretary and treasurer and Mr. J. Lloyd Confair, Cedarville, alumni representative on the college trustee board.

Following the program a dance was enjoyed in the gymnasium. Music was furnished by Kenneth Little's orchestra.

GREETINGS

By Charles Evans Lamate

A physician was making a call in Fletcher, a small railroad-junction town. Twenty years ago he began his practice there. Now, he resides in Maysdale the county seat.

"How's Bill?", he asked Mrs. Kennedy after he had attended his patient. He had a moment to talk to this good neighbor. All Fletcher liked Dr. Long because he was an excellent physician. Although one of the busiest men in the county, he always had a kind word of greeting for everyone.

"Bill is much better," replied Mrs. Kennedy. "He has been sick for a month, but I think he will be going back to work soon."

"I'm sorry he has been ailing, but glad he is better. Does he still live in Fort Wayne?", asked the doctor.

"Yes," said Mrs. Kennedy.

"Does he still signal you from his engine cab as he makes runs through Fletcher?", inquired the physician.

"Sure he does," responded this aged mother of a railroad locomotive engineer. "He has a special signal for me. As he approaches Fletcher any time day or night, he calls me. In the daytime I go out upon the porch to wave at him. At night I go to the window with my flashlight, and motion it to him. Two long toots is his signal that he has seen me. He runs on special through freights. I never know when he is going through, but I always hear him."

"I think that is simply beautiful, Mrs. Kennedy," said the medical man. "When you write Bill, tell him I think it is fine that he does not forget his mother as he so skillfully pilots those long heavy freights over the shiny rails, and that he greets you so uniquely as he passes the old home beside the railroad."

"I will, Doctor; I am only twenty years older than Bill. You see I am seventy-seven. He is the oldest of my children. I have five. They are all good to me," said the elderly woman. "Well, that's fine Mrs. Kennedy. I'll see you again when I come out to Fletcher," and the doctor was off to his next call.

All that day Mrs. Kennedy pondered over the physician's considerate inquiry of her son William. It was now seventeen years since the wreck ten miles up the road. The heavy spring rains caused a washout. William was a fireman then, and was badly injured. Dr. Long attended him, and brought him around. He never fails to speak of Bill when he sees Mrs. Kennedy. She has been a widow for eleven years. Harry and his family reside with her.

Mrs. Kennedy is like a ministering angel to the sick in Fletcher, rendering a little help here, and imparting a word of cheer there. That is what the doctor did to the patient that day, and to the neighborly widow. The engineer's signals do that also. The world is richer for such kindness, and life is grander. It's the gracious greeting that helps.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bratton, (Dorothy Lunsford) and son, of Cincinnati, visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bratton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Masters spent Sunday in Greenville, O., with Mr. and Mrs. Robert White. Mrs. Margaret Elias of Eakdale, W. Va., is visiting with her daughter and son-in-law.

Miss Annabel Murdock and Mrs. Clayton McMillan spent Thursday in Lexington, O., with Miss Gladys McDonald and her aunt, Miss Hill.

REPORT OF SALE

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Med. Cows ----- 5.35 to 6.00

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RESEARCH CLUB MEETING

The Research Club will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lulu Watt, South Main Street.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

Mrs. McCormick of the Juvenile Department of the Probate Court of Greene County will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. on June 14, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. W. Steels.

Mrs. McCormick will tell of her work among the delinquent children of the county.

All who are interested are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

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WASHINGTON LETTER

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that the balance of the tanks mentioned are only "on order." The same is true as to aircraft guns. Only a small proportion of the number mentioned by the President are actually in the hands of the Army—the others are "on order." So goes the story as to automatic rifles; mobile artillery; fighting and bombing planes; and other needed defensive weapons. American soldiers and sailors can only fight with the weapons that are actually manufactured and in their hands—not with those "on order." The truth is, our national defense has been sadly neglected and it will take many months before American industry can furnish needed implements of warfare and men can be trained to use them, so as to guarantee our safety. However, it is believed by most observers that if any real threat is to come to the safety of this country, such danger is months ahead. May such a danger never come, is the wish of every true American. In the words of a famous Colonial Patriot: "Let us put our faith in God, but keep our powder dry."

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LEGAL NOTICE

William Thompson, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on March 12, 1940 Jeanette Thompson, filed suit for divorce on the grounds of wilful absence, before the Court of Common Pleas, Greene County, Ohio, in case No. 22,214. That said cause will come on for hearing on or after April 9th, 1940.

F. W. DUNKLE, Attorney
(5-17-61-6-32)

LEGAL NOTICE

Court of Common Pleas,
Greene County, Ohio,
No. 22,257

Homes Federal Savings & Loan Association, Xenia, Ohio, Plaintiff,
vs.
A. B. Mallico and Lulu Mallico, Defendants.
A. B. Mallico, whose last known place of residence was 238 S. Water St., Salem, Ind., and whose present place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 25th day of April, 1940, Homes Federal Savings and Loan Association, of Xenia, Ohio, filed its petition against him in the Common Pleas Court of Greene County, Ohio, praying for a foreclosure of the sum of Twenty-Six Hundred and Thirty and 50/100 Dollars (\$2,635.50) with interest from the 1st day of May, 1939 thereon, at 6% per annum, on a mortgage note, and seeking to foreclose mortgage on real estate situate in the Village of Osborn, Greene County, Ohio, being Lot No. 216 of Downey's addition to said village.

Said defendant is required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of June, 1940, or the court will take judgment ordering the mortgage foreclosed, and the said real estate sold for the purpose of paying the mortgage obligation of the plaintiff.

Homes Federal Savings and Loan Association of Xenia, Ohio,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Smith, McCallister & Gibson,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
(5-13-37-51-31-4-7-14)

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Lesson for June 9

Lesson subjects and Scripture texts assigned and suggested for International Sunday School Lesson, used by permission.

EZEKIEL TEACHES PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY

LESSON TEXT—Ezekiel 24:1-16.
GOLDEN TEXT—"Then every one of us shall give account of himself to God."—Romans 14:12.

Personal responsibility is a subject well worthy of careful and repeated consideration. We talk so much about social, national or racial responsibility that we are prone to forget that the social order, nations and races, are made up of individuals. The Bible, while recognizing the relationship and responsibilities of nations and social groups to God, rightly stresses individual responsibility. It is man who is made in the likeness and image of God. He is the one who has fallen into sin, and he needs the regenerating grace of God in the Lord-Jesus Christ. It is man who stands responsible to God, both as an individual and as God's representative in carrying His message to others.

I. Man's Responsibility for the Lives of Others (vv. 7-11).
Ezekiel had the official responsibility of a watchman sent by God to his own people in their captivity in Babylon. His was a special calling, and yet it is not true that, according to the teaching of the New Testament, every Christian is called to be a witness, a winner of souls, and a watchman?

1. The Watchman's Commission (v. 7). His appointment is by God, and he is to speak as he is to speak are given to him by God. Every true preacher and teacher of the gospel should be a God-called man, presenting the Word of God. Otherwise, his ministry will have little meaning and no real power. The same is true of every Christian; a personal touch with God must precede his efforts to win others to God.

2. The Watchman's Responsibility (vv. 8, 9). Being a watchman is not a duty that one bears lightly, for it has grave responsibilities. Lives are dependent on the vigilance and faithfulness of the watchman. Men whose eyes watch over worldly goods or who guard the safety and comfort of others are held by us to a high measure of responsibility and are liable for misfeasance or carelessness in office. What about those of us to whom the destiny of eternal souls has been committed? Read the solemn words of verses 8 and 9.

3. The Watchman's Message (vv. 10, 11). The Jews who were in captivity because of their sin and failure were dependent. They saw no ray of hope; they were under the overwhelming burden of their sin. The message of God's watchman was one of hope to the repentant people. God is gracious toward the sinner and has no pleasure in punishing him. "Why will ye die?" places the responsibility squarely where it belongs—on the sinner himself.

II. Man's Responsibility for His Own Life (vv. 12-16).
Whatever may be our responsibility for the lives of others, certain it is that we must each one answer to God for our own lives. Ours is the glorious opportunity of living our life—and ours is the responsibility for it.

1. Consistent Living Required (v. 12). This verse evidently does not mean that a righteous man overtaken in a moment of defeat is lost. It rather refers to the one who has made an outward show of being righteous. Confident of himself, he has then fallen into careless living, and all at once his true character is revealed in outright wickedness. That man cannot then draw on his past record as though it were a bank account to be used to justify him in his hour of failure. Righteousness is a matter of the heart. It is a spiritual rebirth, expressing itself in changed conduct and consistent living, not only yesterday and today but also tomorrow.

2. Repentance Accepted (vv. 13-16). God was ready in Ezekiel's day to accept the genuinely repentant man and woman. Infinitely more precious and warm is the welcome that Christ now gives to sinners who turn to Him, for He, our blessed Lord, has now worked out the way of salvation on Calvary's tree.

III. Not 'For'—
Am I to thank God for everything? Am I to thank Him for bereavement, for pain, for poverty, for toil? . . . Be still my soul; thou hast misread the message. It is not to give thanks for everything, but to give thanks in everything.—Dr. G. Matheson.

They Shall Return to the Lord
And the Lord shall smite Egypt; he shall smite and heal it; and they shall return even to the Lord, and he shall be entreated of them, and shall heal them.—Isaiah 19:22.

What makes selfishness such a deadly sin is that it is such a self-deceiving one.

LEGAL NOTICE

Grace Poe, whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that on April 6, 1940, John Poe filed suit for divorce on the grounds of gross neglect of duty, before the Court of Common Pleas, Greene County, Ohio, in Case No. 22,241. That said cause will come on for hearing on or after May 30, 1940.

F. W. DUNKLE, Attorney

BOY SCOUT NEWS

John Reinhard became Eagle Scout at the Simon Kenton District Court of Honor held in the band shell on the O. S. and E. O. Home grounds Monday evening. Seven Cedarville Boy Scouts from Troop 88, received their Second Class awards. They were John Brinfute, Wallace Bradfute, Wayne Corry, Donald Ralston, Lloyd Rose, Paul Whittington and Donald Williamson. John Reinhard, Assistant Scoutmaster, received the Award of Silver Eagle, which is the highest award in scouting. This is the first time a Cedarville boy has become an Eagle Scout.

Mary Helen Cresswell spent the week in Catawba, visiting with friends.

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BRIEF HISTORY

The first bank of Greene County was known as the Bank of Xenia. It opened for business on June 1, 1835, with the following officers: President, John H. Hivling; vice president, John Ewing; cashier, Henry Clark. Later E. F. Drake became cashier. The bank was started as a private enterprise and so continued until 1846 when it was reorganized, under a newly enacted act of the General Assembly, with the new name of Xenia Branch of the State Bank of Ohio. Abraham Hivling became the first president of the bank upon its reorganization, while E. F. Drake was continued as cashier.

Drake resigned in 1848 and his place was filled by J. W. Merriek, who had been connected with the bank as teller. Upon the death of Merriek, John B. Allen became cashier. The bank continued a successful career until it was reorganized under the national banking act of 1863 and became the First National Bank. Upon the expiration of its charter at the end of twenty years, it was reorganized as the Xenia National Bank, the name by which it is still known.

*Bradstone, History of Greene County.